

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
TAKATOSHI HIROSE )  
Application No.: 10/551,174 )  
Filed: September 29, 2005 )  
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING )  
APPARATUS AND CONNECTION :  
CONTROL METHOD FOR JOINING )  
A WIRELESS NETWORK :  
(as amended) ) May 27, 2011  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the Form PTO/SB/08a submitted herewith. A copy of each listed document that is not a U.S. patent document has been submitted herewith.

The listed documents are identified in an Office Action dated May 17, 2011, in connection with U.S. Application No. 10/551,173. A copy of the Office Action has been submitted herewith.

An explanation of the relevance of JP 2002-345027 A may be found in the English abstract attached thereto.

The amount of \$180.00 for the fee required for consideration at this time is being paid concurrently; please charge any additional amount required, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

It is respectfully requested that the cited information be considered by the Examiner and that the Examiner return an annotated copy of the attached Form PTO/SB/08a indicating that the information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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